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**ROCHESTER RESOURCES LTD.**

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED  
AUGUST 31, 2023

*(Unaudited - Expressed in Canadian Dollars)*

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**NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF  
CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

In accordance with National Instrument 51-102 Part 4, subsection 4.3(3)(a), if an auditor has not performed a review of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements they must be accompanied by a notice indicating that the condensed consolidated interim financial statements have not been reviewed by an auditor.

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management.

The Company's auditors have not performed a review of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements in accordance with the standards established by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada for a review of interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.

**ROCHESTER RESOURCES LTD.**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION**  
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	Notes	August 31, 2023 \$	May 31, 2023 \$
<b>ASSETS</b>			
<b>Current assets</b>			
Cash		176,492	181,520
Amounts receivable	4	2,488,454	1,850,952
GST/IVA tax receivables		924,783	930,995
Prepaid expenses and deposit		68,959	85,038
Inventories	5	<u>1,164,921</u>	<u>1,089,485</u>
<b>Total current assets</b>		<u>4,823,609</u>	<u>4,137,990</u>
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	7	1,315,726	1,396,375
Right of use assets	8	<u>459,935</u>	<u>494,829</u>
<b>Total non-current assets</b>		<u>1,775,661</u>	<u>1,891,204</u>
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>		<u>6,599,270</u>	<u>6,029,194</u>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		14,330,707	13,507,468
Amounts payable to directors and officers	11	312,341	317,954
Current portion of lease liabilities	8	178,036	173,226
Current portion of amounts due	9	<u>458,563</u>	<u>292,111</u>
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<u>15,279,647</u>	<u>14,290,759</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Non-current portion of amounts due to directors and officers	11(a)	1,089,940	1,083,820
Lease liabilities	8	371,790	404,292
Non-current portion of amounts due	9	17,963,085	17,789,231
Provision for site restoration	12	<u>1,315,063</u>	<u>1,431,772</u>
		<u>20,739,878</u>	<u>20,709,115</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>		<u>36,019,525</u>	<u>34,999,874</u>
<b>SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT)</b>			
Share capital	10	47,182,525	47,182,525
Share-based payments reserve		7,293,723	7,293,723
Contributed surplus		243,299	243,299
Deficit		<u>(84,139,802)</u>	<u>(83,690,227)</u>
<b>TOTAL SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT)</b>		<u>(29,420,255)</u>	<u>(28,970,680)</u>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (DEFICIT)</b>		<u>6,599,270</u>	<u>6,029,194</u>

**Nature of Operations and Going Concern** - See Note 1

**Contingent Liability and Commitments** - See Note 16

**Events after the Reporting Period** - see Note 18

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were approved for issue by the Board of Directors on October 30, 2023 and are signed on its behalf by:

/s/ Eduardo Luna  
Eduardo Luna  
Director

/s/ Nick DeMare  
Nick DeMare  
Director

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**ROCHESTER RESOURCES LTD.**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF NET LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS**  
*(Unaudited - Expressed in Canadian Dollars)*

	Note	Three Months Ended	
		August 31	
		2023	2022
		\$	\$
<b>Revenue</b>		3,701,296	3,489,068
<b>Cost of operations</b>			
Cost of sales		(3,381,830)	(3,647,375)
Depletion and amortization	7, 8	(134,523)	(147,293)
Provision for site restoration	12	<u>(31,897)</u>	<u>(32,507)</u>
<b>Operating income (loss)</b>		<u>153,046</u>	<u>(338,107)</u>
<b>Expenses and other</b>			
General and administration		(226,471)	(216,172)
Financing expenses	13	(213,305)	(210,339)
Accretion of interest on lease liabilities	8	(29,243)	(23,023)
Foreign exchange		(54,801)	(371,176)
Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets	6	<u>(78,801)</u>	<u>(38,728)</u>
		<u>(602,621)</u>	<u>(859,438)</u>
<b>Net loss and comprehensive loss for the period</b>		<u>(449,575)</u>	<u>(1,197,545)</u>
<b>Basic and diluted loss per common share</b>		<u>\$(0.01)</u>	<u>\$(0.03)</u>
<b>Weighted average number of common shares outstanding</b>		<u>47,144,125</u>	<u>47,144,125</u>

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**ROCHESTER RESOURCES LTD.**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY**  
**(DEFICIT)**  
*(Unaudited - Expressed in Canadian Dollars)*

	<b>Three Months Ended August 31, 2023</b>					<b>Total Shareholders' Equity (Deficit) \$</b>
	<b>Share Capital</b>		<b>Share-Based Payments Reserve \$</b>	<b>Contributed Surplus \$</b>	<b>Deficit \$</b>	
	<b>Number of Shares</b>	<b>Amount \$</b>				
<b>Balance at May 31, 2023</b>	47,144,125	47,182,525	7,293,723	243,299	(83,690,227)	(28,970,680)
Net loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(449,575)	(449,575)
<b>Balance at August 31, 2023</b>	<u>47,144,125</u>	<u>47,182,525</u>	<u>7,293,723</u>	<u>243,299</u>	<u>(84,139,802)</u>	<u>(29,420,255)</u>

	<b>Three Months Ended August 31, 2022</b>					<b>Total Shareholders' Equity (Deficit) \$</b>
	<b>Share Capital</b>		<b>Share-Based Payments Reserve \$</b>	<b>Contributed Surplus \$</b>	<b>Deficit \$</b>	
	<b>Number of Shares</b>	<b>Amount \$</b>				
<b>Balance at May 31, 2022</b>	47,144,125	47,182,525	7,293,723	243,299	(77,781,176)	(23,061,629)
Net loss for the period	-	-	-	-	(1,197,545)	(1,197,545)
<b>Balance at August 31, 2022</b>	<u>47,144,125</u>	<u>47,182,525</u>	<u>7,293,723</u>	<u>243,299</u>	<u>(78,978,721)</u>	<u>(24,259,174)</u>

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**ROCHESTER RESOURCES LTD.**  
**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**  
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	<b>Three Months Ended</b>	
	<b>August 31,</b>	
	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
<b>Operating activities</b>		
Net loss for the period	(449,575)	(1,197,545)
Adjustments for:		
Depletion and amortization	134,523	147,293
Provision for site restoration	31,897	32,507
Financing expense	213,305	210,339
Foreign exchange	(195,238)	383,982
Accretion of interest on lease liabilities	29,243	23,023
Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets	78,801	38,728
Changes in non-cash working capital items:		
Amounts receivable	(637,502)	(149,239)
GST/IVA tax receivable	6,212	(92,413)
Prepaid expenses and deposits	16,079	(15,003)
Inventories	(75,436)	(69,615)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	823,239	571,016
Amounts payable to directors and officers	507	8,924
<b>Net cash used in operating activities</b>	<b>(23,945)</b>	<b>(108,003)</b>
<b>Investing activities</b>		
Additions to property, plant and equipment	-	(4,282)
Expenditures on exploration and evaluation assets	(78,801)	(38,728)
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>	<b>(78,801)</b>	<b>(43,010)</b>
<b>Financing activities</b>		
Payments on lease liabilities	(75,715)	(47,011)
Payments on amounts due	-	(69,315)
Advance received	173,433	-
<b>Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities</b>	<b>97,718</b>	<b>(116,326)</b>
<b>Net change in cash</b>	<b>(5,028)</b>	<b>(267,339)</b>
<b>Cash at beginning of period</b>	<b>181,520</b>	<b>347,045</b>
<b>Cash at end of period</b>	<b>176,492</b>	<b>79,706</b>

**Supplemental cash flow information - Note 17**

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**NOTES TO THE CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
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**1. Nature of Operations and Going Concern**

Rochester Resources Ltd. (the “Company”) was incorporated on September 7, 1989 under the provisions of the Company Act (British Columbia). The Company is listed and trades on the TSX Venture Exchange (“TSXV”) under the symbol “RCT”. The Company’s head office is located at #1305 - 1090 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia V6E 3V7 Canada.

The Company is engaged in the exploration and development of its mineral property interests in Mexico. The mineral exploration and development business involves, by its nature, a high degree of risk and there can be no assurance that the current operations or exploration projects will result in sustainable profitable mining operations. All of the Company’s exploration and evaluation assets and property, plant and equipment are located in Mexico, and hence are subject to the risks normally associated with foreign investment including unanticipated changes in taxes and royalties, renegotiation of contracts, foreign currency fluctuations and political uncertainties.

During the three months ended August 31, 2023 the Company incurred a net loss of \$449,575 and, as at August 31, 2023, the Company had a working capital deficit of \$10,456,038 and non-current liabilities of \$20,739,878. The Company has been unable to make all concessions payments when due in the current and prior years for the Mina Real, San Francisco and Santa Fe properties. See also Note 16. The Company’s ongoing operations are dependent on extracting mineralized material from the Mina Real and San Francisco properties and, therefore, on the Company’s ability to preserve its interest in the underlying mineral property interests. In the immediate term, the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern is dependent upon the market prices of silver and gold, its ability to improve its operations to maintain positive operating cash flow from the Mina Real and San Francisco properties on a consistent basis and to raise additional capital to fund its ongoing business operations and exploration projects and repay indebtedness as they come due. Additional capital may be sought from existing shareholders and creditors and from the sale of additional common shares or other equity or debt instruments. There is no assurance such additional capital will be available to the Company on acceptable terms or at all. In the longer term, the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern will be dependent upon the discovery of economically recoverable reserves and the achievement of profitable operations. Whether the Company can generate positive cash flow on a consistent basis and, ultimately, achieve profitability is uncertain. These uncertainties cast significant doubt upon the Company’s ability to continue as a going concern.

See also Note 18(a).

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”) appropriate for a going concern. The going concern basis of accounting assumes the Company will continue to realize the value of its assets and discharge its liabilities and other obligations in the ordinary course of business. Should the Company be required to realize the value of its assets in other than the ordinary course of business, the net realizable value of its assets may be materially less than the amounts shown in the consolidated financial statements. These condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include any adjustments to the amounts and classifications of assets and liabilities that may be necessary should the Company be unable to repay its liabilities and meet its other obligations in the ordinary course of business or continue operations.

**2. Basis of Preparation**

*Statement of Compliance*

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared using accounting policies consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”), and in accordance with International Accounting Standards (“IAS”) 34, Interim Financial Reporting, as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”). These condensed consolidated interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended May 31, 2023, which have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as issued by the IASB. The accounting policies followed in these condensed consolidated interim financial statements are consistent with those applied in the Company’s consolidated financial statements for the year ended May 31, 2023.

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**2. Basis of Preparation (continued)**

*Basis of Measurement*

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for the revaluation of certain financial assets and financial liabilities to fair value. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars unless otherwise stated.

**3. Subsidiaries**

The subsidiaries of the Company are as follows:

<u>Company</u>	<u>Location of Incorporation</u>	<u>Ownership Interest</u>
ALB Holdings Ltd. ("ALB")	Canada	100%
Mina Real Mexico S.A. de C.V. ("Mina Real")	Mexico	100%
Compania Minera Santa Fe S.A. de C.V. ("Compania Minera")	Mexico	70%

**4. Amounts Receivable**

	<u>August 31,</u> <u>2023</u> \$	<u>May 31,</u> <u>2023</u> \$
Production receivable	2,408,397	1,809,049
Other	<u>80,037</u>	<u>41,903</u>
	<u>2,488,434</u>	<u>1,850,952</u>

**5. Inventories**

	<u>August 31,</u> <u>2023</u> \$	<u>May 31,</u> <u>2023</u> \$
Mineralized material in process	592,534	555,734
Mine stores, supplies and other	<u>572,387</u>	<u>533,751</u>
	<u>1,164,921</u>	<u>1,089,485</u>

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**6. Exploration and Evaluation Assets**

	Santa Fe Property \$
<b>Balance at May 31, 2022</b>	<u>-</u>
<b>Acquisition costs:</b>	
Mineral claims	107,404
Option payments	<u>160,296</u>
	<u>267,700</u>
<b>Impairment</b>	<u>(267,700)</u>
<b>Balance at May 31, 2023</b>	<u>-</u>
<b>Acquisition costs:</b>	
Mineral claims	38,814
Option payments	<u>39,987</u>
	<u>78,801</u>
<b>Impairment</b>	<u>(78,801)</u>
<b>Balance at August 31, 2023</b>	<u>-</u>

Through Mina Real the Company has an agreement to acquire a 70% interest in one concession (the “Santa Fe Property”) located near the Mina Real Property. Under the terms of the agreement the Company agreed to implement a program of exploration to determine if the Santa Fe Property can be economically exploited. In addition, if the exploration work is successful, the Company agreed to provide the necessary capital to construct a processing plant capable of processing a minimum of 200 tonnes per day. To date, the Company has conducted limited exploration on the Santa Fe Property. The agreement was disputed by the 30% concession owners and the court has ordered the Company to return the Santa Fe property concession to the 30% concession owners, pay the ongoing monthly fee of US \$10,000 to the 30% concession until the concession is returned, pay US \$261,000 for a historical extraction and dissolve the Company’s subsidiary Compania Minera. The Company is currently in the negotiation process with the 30% concession owners. The Company made a US \$90,000 payment in June 2023. As at August 31, 2023, US \$381,000 (May 31, 2023 - US \$441,000) remained unpaid and is included in accounts payable and current liabilities.

During fiscal 2016 the Company assessed whether an impairment was required with respect to the Santa Fe Property as required by IFRS 6. In making the assessment management considered the Company’s financial situation and its inability to implement an exploration work program. As a result the Company recorded an impairment charge to reduce the carrying value to \$nil. The Company continues to record impairment charges for all subsequent costs incurred and capitalized on the Santa Fe Property to maintain the carrying value at \$nil.

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**7. Property, Plant and Equipment**

<b>Cost:</b>	<b>Mineral Properties \$</b>	<b>Land \$</b>	<b>Buildings \$</b>	<b>Mill and Mine Equipment \$</b>	<b>Total \$</b>
Balance, May 31, 2022	33,934,944	2,692,313	3,517,234	7,766,238	47,910,729
Additions	-	-	49,007	8,165	57,172
Balance, May 31, 2023 and August 31, 2023	<u>33,934,944</u>	<u>2,692,313</u>	<u>3,566,241</u>	<u>7,774,403</u>	<u>47,967,901</u>
<b>Accumulated depletion, amortization and impairment:</b>					
Balance, May 31, 2022	(33,934,944)	(2,692,313)	(3,178,591)	(6,346,602)	(46,152,450)
Depletion and amortization	-	-	(48,377)	(370,699)	(419,076)
Balance, May 31, 2023	<u>(33,934,944)</u>	<u>(2,692,313)</u>	<u>(3,226,968)</u>	<u>(6,717,301)</u>	<u>(46,571,526)</u>
Depletion and amortization	-	-	(12,094)	(68,555)	(80,649)
Balance, August 31, 2023	<u>(33,934,944)</u>	<u>(2,692,313)</u>	<u>(3,239,062)</u>	<u>(6,785,856)</u>	<u>(46,652,175)</u>
<b>Carrying value:</b>					
Balance, May 31, 2023	-	-	339,273	1,057,102	1,396,375
Balance, August 31, 2023	-	-	327,179	988,547	1,315,726

The Company holds 100% undivided interests in the Mina Real and San Francisco properties. The Mina Real Property comprises 11 concessions and one mineral claim located near Tepic, Mexico. The San Francisco Property comprises twelve concessions located approximately 60 kilometres west of the Company's mill on the Mina Real Property.

See also Note 16.

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**8. Right of Use Assets**

<b>Cost:</b>	<b>Land \$</b>	<b>Buildings \$</b>	<b>Mill &amp; Mine Equipment \$</b>	<b>Total \$</b>
Balance, May 31, 2022	84,372	118,848	508,938	712,158
Additions	130,259	-	32,472	162,731
Terminations	-	-	(9,056)	(9,056)
Balance, May 31, 2023	214,631	118,848	532,354	865,833
Additions	18,980	-	-	18,980
Balance, August 31, 2023	233,611	118,848	532,354	884,813
<b>Accumulated amortization:</b>				
Balance, May 31, 2022	(15,334)	(12,874)	(163,077)	(191,285)
Amortization	(15,473)	(11,884)	(152,362)	(179,719)
Balance, May 31, 2023	(30,807)	(24,758)	(315,439)	(371,004)
Amortization	(6,053)	(2,971)	(44,850)	(53,874)
Balance, August 31, 2023	(36,860)	(27,729)	(360,289)	(424,878)
<b>Carrying value:</b>				
Balance, May 31, 2023	183,824	94,090	216,915	494,829
Balance, August 31, 2023	196,751	91,119	172,065	459,935

The Company has lease contracts for various land, housing and vehicles. It does not have any subleases. As at August 31, 2023 lease liabilities have a remaining lease term of approximately ten years or less and were determined using an effective interest rate of 20%. The undiscounted cash flows over the remaining lease term are approximately \$913,701 (May 31, 2023 - \$1,012,407).

	<b>Three Months Ended August 31,</b>	
	<b>2023 \$</b>	<b>2022 \$</b>
Balance, beginning of period	577,518	474,663
Additions	18,780	-
Accretion of interest	29,243	23,023
Payments	(75,715)	(47,011)
Balance, end of period	549,826	450,675
Current portion of lease liabilities	178,036	133,473
Non-current portion of lease liabilities	371,790	317,202
Total lease liabilities	549,826	450,675

During the three months ended August 31, 2023 the Company recorded accretion of interest on lease liabilities of \$29,243 (2022 - \$23,023).

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**8. Right of Use Assets (continued)**

As at August 31, 2023 the total of future minimum lease payments under leases are as follows:

	\$
Less than one year	274,462
Greater than one year	<u>639,239</u>
	<u>913,701</u>

**9. Amounts Due**

The Company had received ongoing loans and advances, incurred indebtedness and issued debentures with its shareholders and current and former directors of the Company. The loans, advances, debentures, indebtedness and accrued interest (the "Amounts Due") were payable on demand and were classified as current liabilities as at May 31, 2022. During fiscal 2023 certain holders of the Amounts Due agreed that they would not demand repayment until May 31, 2025 and accordingly, the Company has reclassified these amounts as non-current liabilities as at May 31, 2023.

	9% Advances \$	12% Advances \$	Debentures \$	Indebtedness \$	Advance \$	Total \$
<b>Principal</b>						
Balance, May 31, 2022	913,254	3,104,036	225,000	3,631,000	-	7,873,290
Foreign exchange adjustment	<u>36,509</u>	<u>233,485</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>269,994</u>
Balance, May 31, 2023	949,763	3,337,521	225,000	3,631,000	-	8,143,284
Additions	-	-	-	-	173,433	173,433
Foreign exchange adjustment	<u>(2,753)</u>	<u>(17,603)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(6,670)</u>	<u>(27,026)</u>
Balance, August 31, 2023	<u>947,010</u>	<u>3,319,918</u>	<u>225,000</u>	<u>3,631,000</u>	<u>166,763</u>	<u>8,289,691</u>
<b>Interest</b>						
Balance, May 31, 2022	1,006,578	3,110,760	1,639,811	3,135,788	-	8,892,937
Interest expense	84,632	393,283	45,000	326,790	-	849,705
Interest repaid	-	-	(69,315)	-	-	(69,315)
Foreign exchange adjustment	<u>30,619</u>	<u>234,112</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>264,731</u>
Balance, May 31, 2023	1,121,829	3,738,155	1,615,496	3,462,578	-	9,938,058
Interest expense	21,242	98,353	11,342	82,368	-	213,305
Foreign exchange adjustment	<u>(2,251)</u>	<u>(17,155)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(19,406)</u>
Balance, August 31, 2023	<u>1,140,820</u>	<u>3,819,353</u>	<u>1,626,838</u>	<u>3,544,946</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>10,131,957</u>
<b>Total amounts due</b>						
As at May 31, 2023						
Current portion	-	58,823	233,288	-	-	292,111
Non-current portion	<u>2,071,592</u>	<u>7,016,853</u>	<u>1,607,208</u>	<u>7,093,578</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>17,789,231</u>
	<u>2,071,592</u>	<u>7,075,676</u>	<u>1,840,496</u>	<u>7,093,578</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>18,081,342</u>
As at August 31, 2023						
Current portion	-	58,512	233,288	-	166,763	458,563
Non-current portion	<u>2,087,830</u>	<u>7,080,759</u>	<u>1,618,550</u>	<u>7,175,946</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>17,963,085</u>
	<u>2,087,830</u>	<u>7,139,271</u>	<u>1,851,838</u>	<u>7,175,946</u>	<u>166,763</u>	<u>18,421,648</u>

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**9. Amounts Due** (continued)

- (a) The 9% Advances bear interest at a rate of 9% per annum.
- (b) The 12% Advances bear interest at a rate of 12% per annum.
- (c) Principal amounts under a secured debenture financing (the “Debentures”) are subject to a monthly interest charge equivalent to \$12.67 multiplied by the greater of: (a) the monthly production of mineralized material from the Company’s San Francisco Property, and (b) the average monthly production of mineralized material from the San Francisco Property, provided, however, that the monthly interest has a minimum monthly payment based on 6.4% per annum and a maximum payment based on 20% per annum.
- (d) The indebtedness (the “Indebtedness”) is secured by the assets of the Company and interest is calculated at 9% per annum.
- (e) On August 7, 2023 the Mexican state of Nayarit’s Secretary of Administration and Finance (“Nayarit SAF”) initiated steps seeking to collect amounts owing relating to the ongoing dispute, as described in Note 16(a). The Company is in the process of pledging security to the Nayarit SAF to satisfy collection efforts. As a result of these collection efforts the Company has received a loan advance of US \$128,102 from its Chairman to provide short-term funding to the Company while it resolves the dispute. The advance is repayable on demand and the terms of the loan advance have not been finalized. Subsequent to August 31, 2023 the Company received further advances totalling US \$1,362,248, as described in Note 18(a).

**10. Share Capital**

(a) ***Authorized Share Capital***

The Company’s authorized share capital consisted of an unlimited number of common shares without par value. All issued common shares are fully paid.

(b) ***Equity Financings***

The Company did not conduct any equity financings during the three months ended August 31, 2023 or fiscal 2023.

(c) ***Warrants***

A summary of the number of common shares reserved pursuant to the Company’s outstanding warrants at August 31, 2023 and 2022 and the changes for the three months ended on those dates, is as follows:

	2023		2022	
	Number	Weighted Average Exercise Price \$	Number	Weighted Average Exercise Price \$
Balance, beginning and end of period	1,843,243	0.075	1,843,243	0.075

As at August 31, 2023 there were warrants issued and outstanding to purchase 1,843,243 common shares of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.075 per share expiring January 8, 2024.

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**10. Share Capital (continued)**

(d) **Share Option Plan**

The Company has established a rolling share option plan (the “Plan”) in which the maximum number of common shares which can be reserved for issuance under the Plan is 10% of the issued and outstanding shares of the Company. The minimum exercise price of the options is set at the Company’s closing share price on the day before the grant date, less allowable discounts. Options granted may be subject to vesting provisions as determined by the Board of Directors and have a maximum term of ten years.

No share options were granted during the three months ended August 31, 2023 or 2022.

A summary of the Company’s share options at August 31, 2023 and 2022 and the changes for the three months ended on those dates, is as follows:

	2023		2022	
	Number	Weighted Average Exercise Price \$	Number	Weighted Average Exercise Price \$
Balance, beginning of period	2,105,000	0.05	2,185,000	0.05
Expired	<u>(2,005,000)</u>	0.05	<u>-</u>	-
Balance, end of period	<u>100,000</u>	0.05	<u>2,185,000</u>	0.05

The following table summarizes information about the share options outstanding and exercisable at August 31, 2023:

Number	Exercise Price \$	Expiry Date
<u>100,000</u>	0.05	September 23, 2023*

\* Expired without exercise subsequent to August 31, 2023.

**11. Related Party Disclosures**

A number of key management personnel, or their related parties, hold positions in other entities that result in them having control or significant influence over the financial or operating policies of those entities. Certain of these entities transacted with the Company during the reporting period.

(a) *Transactions with Key Management Personnel*

The Company considers its key management to consist of the Company’s Chairman, the Chief Executive Officer (“CEO”), and the Chief Financial Officer (“CFO”). During the three months ended August 31, 2023 and 2022 the following amounts were incurred with respect to the CEO and CFO of the Company:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Professional fees	<u>12,172</u>	<u>12,020</u>

No fees were incurred with respect of the Chairman, during the three months ended August 31, 2023 or 2022.

As at August 31, 2023 \$1,169,976 (May 31, 2023 - \$1,166,322) remained unpaid and is included in amounts payable to directors and officers.

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**11. Related Party Disclosures** (continued)

During the three months ended August 31, 2023 certain officers and directors of the Company agreed to not demand repayment of a total of \$1,089,940 (May 31, 2023 - \$1,083,820) of past accrued professional fees until May 31, 2025.

(b) *Transactions with Other Related Parties*

(i) During the three months ended August 31, 2023 and 2022 the following amounts were incurred with respect to the non-executive directors and an officer of the Company:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Consulting fees	<u>3,000</u>	<u>3,000</u>

As at August 31, 2023 \$227,000 (May 31, 2023 - \$228,000) remained unpaid and is included in amounts payable to directors and officers.

(ii) During the three months ended August 31, 2023 the Company incurred a total of \$12,250 (2022 - \$10,500) to Chase Management Ltd. ("Chase"), a private corporation owned by the CEO of the Company, for accounting and administration services provided by Chase personnel, excluding the CEO. As at August 31, 2023 \$5,306 (May 31, 2023 - \$7,452) remained unpaid and is included in amounts payable to directors and officers.

(c) See also Note 9.

**12. Provision for Site Restoration**

	<u>Three Months Ended August 31,</u>	
	2023 \$	2022 \$
Balance, beginning of period	1,431,772	1,480,790
Accretion	31,897	32,507
Foreign exchange	<u>(148,606)</u>	<u>126,851</u>
Balance, end of period	<u>1,315,063</u>	<u>1,640,148</u>

The total undiscounted amount of estimated cash flows required to settle the Company's estimated obligation at August 31, 2023 US \$1,285,000 (2022 - US \$1,285,000) which, as at August 31, 2023, has been discounted using a credit adjusted pre-tax risk free rate of 9.10% (2022 - 9.10%) and an inflation rate of 4.64% (2022 - 8.70%). The present value of the reclamation liability may be subject to change based on management's current estimates, changes in remediation technology or changes to the applicable laws and regulations. Such changes will be recorded in the accounts of the Company as they occur. The settlement of the obligation is anticipated to occur primarily in fiscal 2030.

**13. Financing Expenses**

Financing expenses for the three months ended August 31, 2023 and 2022 are as follows:

	Note	2023 \$	2022 \$
Interest expense:			
Advances	9	119,595	116,629
Debentures	9	11,342	11,342
Indebtedness	9	<u>82,368</u>	<u>82,368</u>
		<u>213,305</u>	<u>210,339</u>

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**14. Financial Instruments and Risk Management**

*Categories of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities*

Financial instruments are classified into one of the following categories: fair value through profit or loss (“FVTPL”); amortized cost; and fair value through other comprehensive income (“FVOCI”). The carrying values of the Company’s financial instruments are classified into the following categories:

<b>Financial Instruments</b>	<b>Category</b>	<b>August 31, 2023 \$</b>	<b>May 31, 2023 \$</b>
Cash	FVTPL	176,492	181,520
Amounts receivable	Amortized cost	2,488,454	1,850,952
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	Amortized cost	(14,330,707)	(13,507,468)
Amounts payable to directors and officers	Amortized cost	(1,402,281)	(1,401,774)
Lease liabilities	Amortized cost	(549,826)	(577,518)
Amounts due	Amortized cost	(18,421,648)	(18,081,342)

The Company’s financial instruments recorded at fair value require disclosure about how the fair value was determined based on significant levels of inputs described in the following hierarchy:

Level 1 - Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reporting date. Active markets are those in which transactions occur in sufficient frequency and value to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

Level 2 - Pricing inputs are other than quoted prices in active markets included in Level 1. Prices in Level 2 are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reporting date. Level 2 valuations are based on inputs including quoted forward prices for commodities, time value and volatility factors, which can be substantially observed or corroborated in the market place.

Level 3 - Valuations in this level are those with inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

The recorded amounts for amounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, amounts payable to directors and officers, and amounts due approximate their fair value due to their short-term nature. The recorded amounts for lease liabilities and amounts due approximate fair value and they have interest at market rates for similar debt. The Company’s fair value of cash under the fair value hierarchy is measured using Level 1 inputs.

The Company’s risk exposures and the impact on the Company’s financial instruments are summarized below:

*Credit Risk*

Credit risk is the risk of loss associated with a counterparty’s inability to fulfill its payment obligations. The Company’s credit risk is primarily attributable to cash and amounts receivable. Management believes that the credit risk concentration with respect to financial instruments included in cash and amounts receivable is remote. Amounts receivable are due from one customer.

*Liquidity Risk*

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not have the resources to meet its obligations as they fall due. The Company’s ability to manage this risk is affected by low grades of mineralized material and operational challenges. See Note 1. The following table is based on the contractual maturity dates of financial assets and the earliest date on which the Company can be required to settle financial liabilities.

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**14. Financial Instruments and Risk Management (continued)**

	<b>Contractual Maturity Analysis at August 31, 2023</b>				
	<b>Carrying Amount \$</b>	<b>Contractual Cash Flows \$</b>	<b>Less than 3 Months \$</b>	<b>3 - 12 Months \$</b>	<b>1 - 5 Years \$</b>
Cash	176,492	176,492	176,492	-	-
Amounts receivable	2,488,454	2,488,454	2,488,454	-	-
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(14,330,707)	(14,330,707)	(14,330,707)	-	-
Amounts payable to directors and officers	(1,402,281)	(1,402,281)	-	(312,341)	(1,089,940)
Lease liabilities	(549,826)	(549,826)	(44,509)	(133,527)	(371,790)
Amounts due	(18,421,648)	(18,421,648)	-	(458,563)	(17,963,085)

*Market Risk*

Market risk is the risk of loss that may arise from changes in market factors such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates, and commodity and equity prices. These fluctuations may be significant.

(a) Interest Rate Risk

The Company is exposed to interest rate risk to the extent that the cash bears a floating rate of interest. The interest rate risk on cash and on the Company's obligations are not considered significant.

(b) Commodity Price Risk

The Company is subject to risk from fluctuations in the market prices of silver and gold. Silver and gold prices have historically fluctuated widely and are affected by numerous factors outside of the Company's control. The profitability of the Company's operations is highly correlated to the market prices of these metals, as is the ability of the Company to develop its other properties. If metal prices decline for a prolonged period below the cost of production of the Company's Mina Real mine, it may not be economically feasible to continue production.

The Company does not hedge silver and gold prices.

(c) Foreign Currency Risk

The Company's functional currency is the Canadian dollar and the Company's operating expenses are incurred in Canadian Dollars and Mexican Pesos. The Company also has advances denominated in US Dollars. Management believes the foreign exchange risk related to currency conversions are minimal and therefore does not hedge its foreign exchange risk. At August 31, 2023, 1 Canadian Dollar was equal to 12.89 Mexican Pesos and 0.74 US Dollar.

Balances are as follows:

	<b>Mexican Pesos</b>	<b>United States Dollars</b>	<b>CDN \$ Equivalent</b>
Cash	2,049,121	3,612	163,851
Amounts receivable	274,866	1,854,011	2,488,454
IVA tax receivable	11,912,291	-	924,150
Inventories	15,018,841	-	1,164,921
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(158,159,992)	(837,451)	(13,401,667)
Amounts payable to directors and officers	-	(59,150)	(79,932)
Amounts due	-	(6,053,276)	(8,180,102)
	<u>(128,904,873)</u>	<u>(5,092,254)</u>	<u>(16,920,325)</u>

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**14. Financial Instruments and Risk Management (continued)**

Based on the net exposures as of August 31, 2023 and assuming that all other variables remain constant, a 10% fluctuation on the Canadian Dollar against the Mexican Peso and the US Dollar would result in the Company's comprehensive income (loss) being approximately \$1,650,000 higher (or lower).

*Capital Management*

The Company manages its capital structure and makes adjustments to it, based on the funds available to the Company, in order to support the acquisition and exploration of mineral properties. The Board of Directors does not establish quantitative return on capital criteria for management, but rather relies on the expertise of the Company's management to sustain future development of the business. The Company defines capital that it manages as share capital, cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments. The Company will continue to assess new properties and seek to acquire an interest in additional properties if it feels there is sufficient geologic or economic potential and if it has adequate financial resources to do so. Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable.

**15. Segmented Information**

The Company operates in one reportable segment, the acquisition, exploration and development of exploration and evaluation assets. The Company's mineral operations are located in Mexico and its corporate assets, comprising mainly of cash, are located in Canada.

	<u>August 31, 2023</u>		
	<u>Non-current Assets \$</u>	<u>Revenues \$</u>	<u>Net Loss \$</u>
Mineral operations (Mexico)	1,775,661	3,701,296	(170,719)
Corporate (Canada)	-	-	(278,856)
	<u>1,775,661</u>	<u>3,701,296</u>	<u>(449,575)</u>
	<u>May 31, 2023</u>		
	<u>Non-current Assets \$</u>	<u>Revenues \$</u>	<u>Net Loss \$</u>
Mineral operations (Mexico)	1,891,204	13,631,949	(4,848,923)
Corporate (Canada)	-	-	(1,060,128)
	<u>1,891,204</u>	<u>13,631,949</u>	<u>(5,909,051)</u>

**16. Contingent Liability and Commitments**

- (a) From time to time the Company becomes involved in various claims and litigation, including various governmental audits, as part of the normal course of operations. During fiscal 2023, one of two claims against the Company by the Nayarit SAF was annulled reducing the potential liability to \$580,000. The Company continues to work with legal counsel to review and respond to the reassessment and as at August 31, 2023, has accrued a provision of \$580,000 (May 31, 2023 - \$580,000).
- (b) The Company has only made partial government concession payments and accrued carrying charges on its concessions. As at August 31, 2023 \$4,674,316 (May 31, 2023 - \$4,365,853) of government concession payments remained unpaid and are included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.
- (c) The Company has only made partial concession payments on the Santa Fe Property, as described in Note 6.

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**17. Supplemental Cash Flow Information**

During the three months ended August 31, 2023 and 2022 non-cash activities were conducted by the Company as follows:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
Operating activities		
Amounts payable and accrued liabilities	78,801	38,728
Lease liabilities	<u>18,980</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>97,781</u>	<u>38,728</u>
Investing activities		
Expenditures on exploration and evaluation assets	(78,801)	(38,728)
Additions to right of use assets	<u>(18,980)</u>	<u>-</u>
	<u>(97,781)</u>	<u>(38,728)</u>

**18. Events after the Reporting Period**

- (a) Subsequent to August 31, 2023, to provide security for payment of any amounts determined to be owing to Nayarit SAF the Company is in the process of pledging as security its office building in Tepic. In addition the Company received further advances, totalling US \$1,362,248, from its Chairman (US \$861,248) and its Chief Executive Officer (US \$500,000) to provide short-term funding to the Company while it resolves its dispute with the Nayarit SAF. See also Note 9(e).
- (b) See also Note 10(d).